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"POTASH AND PERLMUTTER DRAWS CROWD"

Vory theatre goers were mighty well entertained last night at the Orpheum theatre. For the opening attraction of the 1914-15 season, the firm of Messrs. Wilmer, Vincent and Apple provided "Potash & Perlmutter," that up-to-the-minute attraction which New York has been entertaining for more than a year. That this wonderful laugh-getter had its fame cast in every location was evidenced by the size of last night's audience. The lower floor of the house was practically filled, while the galleries held their full quota. In all it was a good-natured audience and always ready to appreciate the many fine points in the comedy.

Charles Lipson was Perlmutter, while Arthur Ross was found in the role of Potash. If the reception they received here last night continues in other cities Mr. Woods need not fear that this particular company will not be a great success. In fact the entire company was well cast, among them several, at least, whom the audience recognized as being old favorites here.

Mr. Appell, the local representative for the lessees of the theatre, was congratulated on every side for the success of the first night at the Orpheum. Nothing seems to have been omitted in an effort to look out for the comfort and convenience of the patrons.—York, Pa., Gazette.

Tabb Opera House Tonight.

HAVE WAR FEVER

A Washington dispatch concerning two former Mt. Sterling residents says:

"Representative W. J. Fields called at the French Embassy today and asked Ambassador Jusserand to recommend the appointment of Dr. B. M. Manning and Dr. A. J. Harness, of New York, former residents of Mt. Sterling, to be Red Cross surgeons in Europe. He said that the Kentuckians are anxious to accompany the next Red Cross expedition to the war zone."

BASE BALL

The Johnson Station and Cedar Grove ball teams played at Cedar Grove Sunday morning, the game resulting in a score of 8 to 3 in favor of Johnson Station. On the same day in the afternoon the Johnson Station team defeated the Spencer team by the score of 11 to 1. The Johnson Station team has not lost a game this season. W. G. Moore, the pitcher for Johnson Station team, deserves great credit for his excellent work.

FOR SALE SEED RYE.

We have No. 1 Seed Rye. Greenwade Store.

Mr. Mike O'Meara, of Winchester has purchased the Clay City Times, succeeding editor Bugher. Here is welcome to the editorial staff.

JURORS VOTE ADJOURNMENT

Of Circuit Court for Two Weeks to Work in Crops. To Re-convene Sept. 22.

The regular September term of the Montgomery Circuit Court convened Monday and at the suggestion of many jurors who are very busy with their crops, witnesses and litigants, Circuit Judge William A. Young submitted to a vote of the grand and petit jurors the question of whether or not court would proceed or adjourn for two weeks and the latter plan prevailed. Court was therefore adjourned until September 22nd., which is Tuesday after Court Day.

Judge Young instructed the jury in a very forceful and impressive manner, touching especially upon violations of the law regarding carrying concealed weapons, shooting on the highway, violation of the liquor laws and vote buying and selling. He took occasion to compliment the county upon its peaceful condition, which he attributed to the rigid enforcement of the law upon the part of our officials.

The following well known gentlemen compose the juries:

GRAND JURY

John G. Roberts, foreman; J. W. Burroughs, B. W. Trimble, G. M. McAlister, Geo. W. Cooper, W. Lois Thompson, G. C. Anderson, L. G. Howard, Walter Reisinger, Chas. E. Duff, J. M. Mallory, W. H. Ramsey.

PETIT JURY

Henry Gaitskill, W. S. Carrington, J. A. Trimble, N. O. Moss, W. H. Richardson, Campbell Gibson, J. C. Elam, D. H. Webster, M. K. Tapp, Robt. Lockridge, D. P. Day, G. H. Strother, Jno. L. Coleman, D. C. George, Elijah Coons, Tandy Chenuat, C. B. Hainline, Jas. E. Gay, A. L. Tipton, R. G. Owings, P. J. Shackelford, T. W. Anderson, R. M. Coons, Ben F. Perry.

LOCAL MAN TO JOIN MINSTREL

Mr. Norman D. Brown, who has been connected with the Tabb Opera House in this city for the past two years will join Al. G. Fields Minstrel at Lexington today. Mr. Brown is a splendid drummer and also possesses a wonderful voice besides being a clever dancer. He has many friends here who will wish for him unbounded success.

TABB OPERA HOUSE OPENS TONIGHT

The Tabb Opera House opens the season tonight with "Potash & Perlmutter." Newspaper reports of the show say that it is a good one.

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S. S. PICNIC OF THE BAPTIST CHURCH

By the kindness of Mr. N. B. Young, the Baptist Sunday School secured a most enjoyable place for the holding of their annual picnic on Wednesday last. The Johnson Young grove is a typical place for such an outing and he it said this was the best of all picnics in the history of the Baptist S. S.

Amusements were numerous, both ancient, way back and up-to-date. The children were children indeed as were also the old people. Then came dinner, Oh My! With clothes let out to the last notch no one felt very comfortable after putting away that gorgeous spread.

The clouds lowered, the bell rang and one of the members sprang to the platform, "all done up" expressing hearty thanks to Mr. N. B. Young for kindnesses shown and wishes for a long, prosperous and happy life here and an abundant entrance into the great home coming.

PULVERIZING COMPANY ORGANIZED

Messrs. W. A. Sutton, Henry R. Prewitt, J. M. Hutsell, A. Sid Hart and Charles E. Duff have formed a corporation known as the Montgomery Pulverizing Company for the purpose of engaging in the business of crushing limestone into dust. They have bought a Jeffrey Lime Pulver and engine and same is now in operation on the farm of Mr. Duff on the Paris pike. The machine will also crush stone the proper size for concrete work and will cut up tobacco stocks, etc. In addition to doing the work of the members of the company, it is likely that such work will be done for others at a reasonable price. We are indeed glad to see our farmers evincing this spirit of progressiveness, as nothing will reclaim tired land as quickly as pulverized lime stone.

SELLS PAPER

Arthur Timoney, who recently established the Lawrenceburg Record, has sold his paper to Jesse Alverson, owner of the Lawrenceburg News, and the Record will be published no more. "Tim" made a good paper of the Record and was getting his share of the work, but had business judgment enough to realize the fact that two papers can not live in a one-paper town. Mr. Timoney will resume his work with the Advocate.—Danville Messenger.

KENTUCKY METHODIST MINISTERS ASSIGNED Lexington District.

John R. Deering, Presiding elder.

Mt. Sterling.—T. W. Watts.

Camargo and Grassy Lick.—E. T. Caton.

Frenchburg and Olympia.—S. T. Fitch.

Owingsville Circuit.—A. C. Johnson.

Maysville District.

Sharpsburg and Bethel.—J. L. West.

BUILDING HOME.

Judge G. Allen McCormick has started work on a new residence on his farm on the Owingsville pike and will employ a large force of men in order to finish same before cold weather.

READ IT.

Be sure and read the farm sale of M. F. Enright, of Madison county, appearing in this issue.

For tobacco sticks go to McCormick Lumber Co. (9-14)

SPLENDID ENROLLMENT

Reports From the Various Schools Show that Great Interest is Being Taken.

County Superintendent Georgie Sledd advises us that reports from the various schools of the county show that great interest is being taken in the schools this year and that about two thirds of the number of children of the county according to the census are attending. This number will of course be increased shortly as many boys are now busy helping with the work on the farms etc., who will start to school soon. The private school of Mrs. J. W. Prewitt started Monday with an attendance of fifty pupils. There were 48 pupils enrolled in the County High School and 76 in the Belt Line School.

The City Schools opened on Monday with the largest attendance for the first day in the history of this institution. On the first day last year, there were 370 pupils in attendance while there are now 463. Quite a number of pupils who have been out of town for the summer have not yet returned and others, for various reasons have not enrolled, so that it may be safely predicted that there will be 550 students before the term closes.

In the High School Prof. W. C. Jetton will have charge of the English and German department, Miss Mary Lockridge, Latin and History, Miss Kathryn Appleton, Mathematics and Science and Superintendent W. O. Hopper will again instruct the classes in advanced History and Government.

Miss Ethel Ferguson, Supervisor of Music, returned Sunday from her vacation spent at her home in Canada. The Music Department will be made stronger than ever by the addition of some new equipment.

On the opening morning the students assembled in the High School auditorium and took part in the chapel exercises. After the singing of "America," Dr. M. V. P. Yeaman was introduced and conducted the devotional exercises and addressed the students, impressing them with the value of the opportunities which were before them and urging upon them concentration of effort and determination of purpose, in pursuing their studies.

Hon. Chas. D. Grubbs, President of the School Board, greeted the students and congratulated them upon the great possibilities before them and called upon them to recognize the fact that

their own parents support the schools for their benefit and that they should therefore take the greater interest in being regular and punctual in attendance and always loyal to the institution.

Mr. L. T. Chiles, the oldest member of the Board in point of service, with his usual flow of wit and humor entertained the audience which greeted him with enthusiastic applause, when he was introduced.

The patrons and friends of the public school are invited to visit the various grades and become acquainted with the teachers and be the better enabled thereby to co-operate with them in the affairs of the schools.

EUROPEAN WAR NEWS IN BRIEF TO DATE

A news dispatch from Berlin says that a battle is being fought on the French center from Rehel to Verdun, with the opposing forces almost even terms.

Reports from other sources, while failing to reveal the purposes of the German strategy in moving a great force to the southeast of Paris, indicate a determination to deal the Allies a crushing blow before the complete investment of the French capital is attempted.

German pressure on the left wing of the Allies has been withdrawn and apparently the main strength of the invaders has been thrown against the enemy's center and right.

It is officially announced in Paris that a general engagement is being fought east of that city to-day and that the Germans have begun to retire at that point.

Official reports from Petrograd state that the Russian troops are gradually closing in on the strong fortress of Przemsyl, fifty miles west of Lemberg, and that this last remaining stronghold of the Austrians in Galicia will soon surrender or be taken by assault.

It is stated officially at Antwerp that the Belgians have repulsed a German attack against that city.

According to a news dispatch from Rome, members of the Italian Socialist Reform party have formally declared for Italian neutrality.

Two thousand Americans, many of them almost destitute, were in line when the offices of the American Relief Committee in London were opened to-day. The committee is hard put to afford prompt relief.

It is estimated that it will be another month before all the American refugees are able to leave the continent.

Pure Pork Sausage made daily. Sanitary Meat Market.

TOBACCO MEN VERY BUSY

Crop is About the Average And Growers are Busy Housing It.

While considerable tobacco was cut and housed last week cutting will be on in earnest this week. The early crop is above the average and if frost holds off long enough the late crop will be fairly good.

The corn crop while not up to the average owing to the drouth is considered a fair crop. The late corn it is thought will be above the average. Grass is in fair condition and growing nicely. Watermelons etc., plentiful.

LOSES PLACE

Mr. John A. Conroy, formerly of this city, who has been a trusted guard in the State Penitentiary for many years, was relieved from duty by the State Prison Commissioners at their last meeting to make room for some one else. Such is politics, but his many friends here, who recognize his worth will regret to learn of his misfortune. We are sure however, he will have little trouble in getting into some line of business fully as profitable and by odds more independent. It is understood that he and his excellent family will continue to reside at Frankfort.

MOONLIGHT SCHOOLS

The Moonlight Schools started in Montgomery county Monday night of this week. We were unable to get any direct reports regarding the attendance but understand from County Superintendent, Miss Georgie Sledd, that from the best information she had been able to secure before we went to press she is satisfied with the work so far. Possibly the largest number in any one school was at the Colored school where Prof. J. S. Estill was in charge, there being 75 people enrolled.

BE SURE AND ATTEND

Do not overlook the fact that Wednesday and Thursday September 16th and 17th. Miss Alta Evans will have her millinery opening. Everything new and right up to the minute styles.

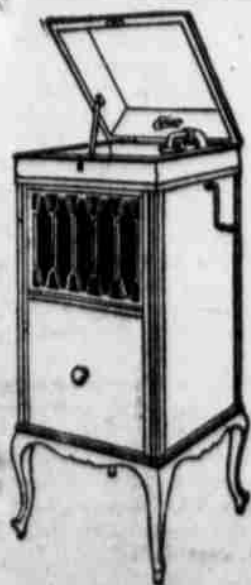
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